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ENDL et al.

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For: AUTOREACTIVE PEPTIDES FROM HUMAN GLUTAMIC ACID

DECARBOXYLASE (GAD)

## **SECOND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

**BOX: AFTER FINAL** 

**Commissioner for Patents** U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

This Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 is being filed in response to the final Office Action of July 27, 2001 for the above application, with a Petition for Extension of Time for two months and the statutory fee, making the response due on or before December 27, 2001,..

An Amendment under 37 CFR §1.116 was previously filed on September 27, 2001.

Please amend the application as follows.